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PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. A. P. Boude accompanied by Miss Pearl Boude left Monday for Hinton, W. Va., to attend the annual meeting of the Baltimore Conference.

Rev. C. C. Owen and C. F. Spencer have returned from a visit to Richmond.

The public schools of Central District closed Friday last. The Lavesia school at East Lexington under the direction of Mrs. J. T. Wilson, principal, and Miss Anna Wash, assistant, had a prosperous session.

Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, of Ky., has been appointed by President McKinley, a member of the board of visitors to the West Point Military Academy.

Mr. Jack Carmichael spent last week in Washington visiting friends.

Miss Bessie Northern, who has been the guest of Mrs. Tate Sterrett, at Bell's Valley, has returned to her home here.

A nameless stranger arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Law, of near Cornwall, on Thursday last, March 17th—a boy, fifteen pounds.

Mr. W. G. McDowell left Monday for Staunton where he will superintend the erection of an addition to the Virginia Female Institute.

Mr. John M. Gill and bride, of Granville, Charles City county, who have been the guests for the past week of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Granger, have returned home. Mr. Gill is a brother of Mrs. Granger, and is a prominent merchant of Granville.

Miss Rosa, daughter of Col. J. M. Brooke, is at Old Point, Va.

Mrs. L. Sachs has returned from a visit to Clifton Forge, Va.

Dr. J. L. Howe has as his guests Dr. F. A. Howe and daughter, Miss Edith, of Newburyport, Mass.

Mrs. J. W. Haughwout has as her guest Miss Margaret Patton, of Blacksburg.

Mr. J. L. Slaughter is in Richmond, on business.

Mr. Andrew Wallace, of Mecklenburg county, has as his guest his mother, Mrs. P. A. Wallace, of this county.

Mr. R. K. Godwin, is the guest of Mr. R. S. Anderson.

Hon. G. D. Letcher was in Harrisonburg, on Friday last.

Mrs. S. O. Campbell, was called to Richmond Thursday by a telegram announcing the critical illness of her uncle, Rev. Dr. George C. Vandervelde. She reached his home shortly after his death.

Miss Blanche Lacy of Buena Vista, was the guest of the Misses Boley last week.

Mr. Peter N. Burger, the well known merchant of Natural Bridge, spent Sunday and Monday of this week visiting relatives and friends in Fincastle, and also gave the Herald office a pleasant call.—Fincastle Herald.

A LITTLE BOY'S TROUBLE.

"My little boy has been troubled every spring for the past four or five years by an eruption covering his body and limbs. It was so bad he could not get on his shoes and stockings. Last spring I heard of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and by taking this medicine he was entirely cured."—Mrs. Nettie Ryan, Winchester, Va.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's family Pills are the best.

We are sorry to learn of the critical illness of Dr. J. R. Jordan, at his home in Montgomery, Ala.

When you are suffering from Catarrh or Cold in the head you want relief right away. Only 10 cents is required to test it. Ask your druggist for the trial size of Ely's Cream Balm, or buy the 50c. size. We will refund the money if it does not cure you.

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I was afflicted with Catarrh last autumn. During the month of October I could neither taste nor smell could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus Geo. Shays, Rahway, N. J.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Wm. T. Waller, of Lynchburg, is here visiting her niece, Mrs. Wm. T. Shields.

Mr. S. O. Campbell spent Monday and Tuesday in Lynchburg on business.

Mr. V. W. Wilkerson who has been quite ill for some weeks, is slowly improving.

Mr. Clarence Wallace, of near Middlebrook, was the guest of Mr. Harrington Waddell over Sunday.

Mr. F. H. Templeton, of Fairfield, spent last week visiting Mr. J. McD. Adair.

Daniel McClelland and sister, Miss Bertha, spent several days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heck.

William Breedlove and family have gone to Cincinnati, O., where they will make their home.

Thomas Northern and Charlie Woodward left Tuesday for Pittsburgh.

The Misses Hogshead, of Middlebrook, who have been visiting the family of Mrs. W. H. Waddell, have returned to their home here.

J. L. Slaughter, manager of the Rockbridge Lime Company, of this place, has returned from a business trip to Richmond.

General Scott Shipp accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. N. B. Tucker, left Tuesday for a ten days' visit to Old Point Comfort. They will possibly be present at the launching of the battleships Kentucky and Kearsarge at Newport News on Thursday.

Dr. James Lewis Howe spent Sunday at Clifton Forge, where he made an address before the Y. M. C. A. In the evening he addressed the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church, of which Rev. Dr. E. W. McCorkle is pastor.

Mr. D. S. Layne has been elected representative of Rockbridge Lodge, No. 58, I. O. O. F., with J. V. Grinstead as alternate to the Grand Lodge which meets in Petersburg, April 5th.

Mr. M. W. Paxton, of the County News, and Hon. S. H. Letcher have gone to Newport News to witness the launching of the twin battleships, Kentucky and Kearsarge, which will take place to-morrow.

Miss Louisa Baxter is quite ill at the home of Mayor T. E. McCorkle. Her nephew, Rev. C. S. V. Sea, of Union church, Augusta county, and her niece, Mrs. J. B. Spotts, of Elkton, have been summoned to her bedside.

Mr. John P. Ackley, chairman of the County Republican Executive Committee, has returned from Washington and says that Congressman Jacob Yeast will recommend his name for appointment as postmaster of the Lexington postoffice, to take effect May 1st. The term of the present incumbent expires April 14th.

MR. J. B. HOLMES APPOINTED TESTER.

Justice McLaughlin has appointed Mr. J. B. Holmes as tester of scales for Rockbridge county. This office was created by the last Legislature, and the appointment of Mr. Holmes is an admirable one.

GRAND JURY.

Messrs. H. S. Beard, J. F. Brooks, N. B. McClure, W. A. Kinnear, J. W. Saville, J. R. Mackey, W. G. Mathews, Charles Short, M. B. Dunlop, Daniel Teaford, F. D. Coe, and F. A. Ott, compose the Grand Jury for the April term of the County Court.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.

Rev. Dr. R. J. McBryde preached to the cadets in Jackson chapel at the Virginia Military Institute Sunday evening.

Rev. D. L. Washington, the newly-appointed pastor of the colored Methodist church of this place, has arrived in Lexington. He occupied his pulpit Sunday morning and evening and was well received by his congregation. Rev. C. I. Withrow, the former pastor, left Friday for his new charge in Pittsburg, Pa.

**RED ROUGH HANDS**

Itching, scaly, bleeding palms, shapeless nails, and painful finger ends, pimples, blackheads, oily, scaly skin, dry, thin, and falling hair, itching scalp, all yield quickly to warm baths with CUTICURA Soap, and gentle anointing with CUTICURA Ointment, the great skin cure.

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Save The Children.

When children are attacked with cough, cold and croup, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will prove a quick and sure cure. Mr. Elmer E. Baker, Blandon, Pa., writes: "We have used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for cough, cold and croup, and found it the best cough medicine and cure for these affections. We never run out of it, but always keep it on hand." Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is sold everywhere for 25 cents. Insist on having it.

DEATH OF DR. G. C. VANDER SLICE.

Rev. Dr. George Curtis Vandervelde, the beloved pastor of Union-Station Methodist Episcopal church, South, Richmond, Va., died at his home in that city Thursday evening, March 17, 1898, after nearly a month's illness of pneumonia, which developed into cerebro spinal meningitis.

Dr. Vandervelde was born in Richmond July 30, 1836. He was the only son of the late Mr. Samuel Vandervelde, who removed with his family to Lexington in the year 1844, and for thirty years had charge of the tailoring department of the Virginia Military Institute. The deceased was educated in the excellent private schools of Lexington and at Washington College.

Dr. Vandervelde was brought up in a religious home, and in early manhood he felt moved to take upon himself the office and work of the ministry. Imbued, however, with the idea that he was not qualified for this great work, he left home in 1858 and went to Bloomington, Ill. to live, but the impression that he was called to the ministry never left him.

Returning to Lexington he was licensed to preach at the quarterly conference held in March 1859 at Wesley Chapel, then in the Lexington circuit. In November of the same year he was admitted into the travelling connection at the Annual Conference which met in Lynchburg. Since then he has served the church in various parts of the State, receiving some of the best appointments in the Conference.

Dr. Vandervelde was a diligent student, quick in his perception, and methodical in his modes of thought. It has been well said of him that "he was the embodiment of a sanctified gift." He possessed gifts and graces which put his physical vigor to profitable use. He was thoroughly consecrated to his work, and had wonderful success as a revivalist.

In addition to his purely ministerial work, he held high positions in several noble orders and societies, notably the Masons and Odd Fellows, by which he was honored with signal marks of respect. The degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him some years ago by Washington and Lee University.

At the outbreak of the war he was made captain of a company which was attached to Rickett's Division, but at the re-organization, feeling that he could accomplish more by preaching the Gospel, he declined re-election.

Dr. Vandervelde married Miss Nannie Sue Pettit, of Amherst county in 1862, who with eight children, five daughters and three sons, survives him. The funeral services took place Friday evening in Union Station chapel. Rev. Drs. Paul White and A. G. Brown, presiding elders, Rev. Dr. J. J. Lafferty, of the Christian Advocate, and Rev. Dr. J. R. Gault, of the Baptist church, all took part in the services. The remains lay in state in that church until Saturday morning when they were taken to Suffolk for interment, when Bishop John C. Granbery officiated at the burial.

THE BALTIMORE CONFERENCE.

The 114th session of the Baltimore Annual Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convenes at Hinton, W. Va., to-day. Bishop A. W. Wilson, of Baltimore, one of the ablest divines of the M. E. Church, South, will preside.

Hinton is upon the extreme southwestern edge of the Conference territory, and was selected in view of the fact that, for over thirty years not one of its sessions has been held in that section.

The report of the preachers will indicate substantial progress along all lines of church enterprise. One unusual thing is, that during the year there has been no deaths among the two hundred and twenty-five ministers composing the conference.

At the meeting of the stewards of Trinity Methodist church of this place, the last meeting before Conference, the salaries of the preacher in charge and presiding elder were reported paid up in full.

This completes the second year of Dr. Wightman's pastorate in Lexington. He has won many friends here who hope it will be the pleasure of the Conference to return him to this charge. He is an earnest, able, and acceptable minister, and is universally popular among our people regardless of denominational preferences.

When bilious or constive, eat a Casecart candy cathartic, cure guaranteed, 10c, 25c.

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**WINSOME SPRING THINGS.** Signs of spring are plentiful in my store. They bloom in every yard of my new wash goods. We want you to possess these new things. We know the temptation there is to buy pretty goods when the styles are winning and the price right. You never saw prettier or cheaper wash goods than at present. We have never before sold so many so early in the season. Prices, 5 to 25c. per yard.

WORSTED DRESS GOODS.

You want to see our line of Dress Goods in fancies and blacks. It is the kind to interest you. The look-nice kind, the fashionable kind, the wear-well kind, the money saving, value getting kind. No trash, no back numbers; up to date and a great variety to select from. We are especially well fixed on Black Dress Goods. To get advanced styles, styles not ordinarily shown for a year later, we place a direct import order with the Priestleys. These are the best goods sold in this country, and always give entire satisfaction in results, in appearance and wear. We will show how to tell a Priestley make any time you are in our store. Always give us a chance on your dress and we will do you some good.

Our pattern department, the best patterns produced, the patterns most sought after by the leading dress makers, is at your service for suggestions. All late patterns reduced in price.

**TRUNKS.** We have secured additional room next to our Carpet Department, and now carry a big line of Trunks. Have many kinds from the lowest to the finest. The Roller Tray Trunk is the ideal one. Can get at any thing in it without lifting tray. No falling down of the lid while getting things out.

We are carrying a large stock and making low prices, trying to increase our business and build our town up. No necessity for going to Staunton or Lynchburg any longer. We not only meet anything you get offered to you, but try to do better for you. We now handle everything a farmer wants. Besides the finer goods we carry the practical, every day things, such as Overalls, Kersyes, Cottonades, Brogans, Grain Bags, Groceries, Salt, &c. We take all kinds of produce. Want all the eggs and chickens we can get.

J. McD. ADAIR.

A MERCHANT'S LETTER

To Dr. Hartman, President of The Surgical Hotel.

Marshall is a neat little city of 7,000 population in the State of Texas. Among its many enterprising merchants is Mr. V. E. Wyatt. In a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, Mr. Wyatt says: "I have been afflicted with la grippe four times and the last time was worse than the first. I began to think, after trying several remedies without any relief, that the disease could not be cured. Two years ago was the last time I had an attack of it. I decided to try Pe-ru-na and got six bottles. The first bottle I took did me more good than all the medicines I had taken before. I recommend Pe-ru-na to all who are suffering with any disease it is advertised to cure. I am well and stout now. I want everybody afflicted as I was to know of the wonderful merits of Pe-ru-na." Unless treated by Pe-ru-na, la grippe leaves the system in a deplorable condition. It completely demoralizes the nervous system, deranges digestion and disturbs nearly every function of the body. Pe-ru-na is a perfect specific for this condition. It is an admirable remedy for the after-effects of la grippe.

For further testimonials, see book entitled "Facts and Faces," sent free by The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

RECEIVERSHIP CONTINUED.

In the Circuit Court of Rockbridge last week, Judge William McLaughlin, presiding, the receivership of the Buena Vista Company was continued, and Mr. A. T. Barclay, the receiver, was ordered to sell the property of the company at the earliest practicable time. The thing property will be developed, thereby showing its great value to the public, so as to realize as much as possible from the sale.

Mr. J. A. Knick, of near Big Spring, brought last week to the Lexington Sassafras Mill, a large sassafras stump weighing 1,800 pounds, for which he received \$3.60.

Several of our enterprising news boys, in the eagerness to furnish their customers with papers, have been in the habit of throwing wrappers on the streets, which is prohibited by a town ordinance. On Saturday the boys were summoned before Mayor McCorkle for violating the ordinance. The boys were warned to discontinue throwing wrappers on the streets, and the case was dismissed.

A Strong Fortification.

Fortify the body against disease by Tutt's Liver Pills, an absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation, jaundice, biliousness and all kindred troubles. "The Fly-Wheel of Life" Dr. Tutt's Your Liver Pills are the fly-wheel of life. I shall ever be grateful for the accident that brought them to my notice. I feel as if I had a new lease of life. J. Fairleigh, Platte Cannon, Col.

**Tutt's Liver Pills**

KERR'S CREEK CULLINGS.

(Gazette Correspondence.)

Kerr's Creek, Va., March 21, 1898. Mr. R. L. M. Withrow, of Milboro, spent several days on the Creek the past week.

Miss Janie McClure, of Spottswood, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter McCown.

Mr. C. E. Harper, a student of the Valley High School, is at home on account of his eyes.

Mr. J. B. Chaplain has commenced building his house, on the land which he purchased from P. M. Engleman.

Miss Sallie Cummings returned home on last Friday, from a pleasant visit of two weeks to her sister, Mrs. A. F. Withrow, of Milboro.

Wheat is looking remarkably well out in this section, and there are fair indications now for a good crop. Every one is busy with their plowing, and hope that the good weather may continue, in order to keep it up.

Some of our neighbors have followed the advice of Horace Greely and have gone West. Mrs. Maggie Bain has rented out her farm and accompanied by her children, Misses Nannie, Bertie, Fannie, Ida, and John Bain, and by Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Hart, left last Thursday for Ohio, where they will make their future home. Several of Mrs. Bain's children have been living in Ohio for some years.

The public schools of our section have closed, and both teachers and pupils feel amply repaid for the efforts put forth for the acquisition of knowledge. The only regret is that the sessions are so short. Our school terms should be six months at least. With a five months' term and seven months of vacation, rapid advancement of pupils cannot be expected. I am sure we would all be willing to a small increase of taxation in order to get one month added to our terms.

This is our regular fruit year, but fears are entertained among our fruit growers lest this warm weather will cause the trees to put forth buds which late frosts and freezes may catch. A late spring is favorable to an abundant supply of fruit. It is well that our farmers have realized the importance of diversifying their crops and have added fruit to their other products. There was a time when fruit was considered a luxury; it is now a necessity.

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SPRINGFIELD SPRINKLINGS.

(Gazette Correspondence.)

Springfield, Va., March 21, 1898.

While there is some talk of war our people do not think it necessary to fortify our town, owing to its naturally strong position and distance from danger of bombardment. Some uneasiness is felt by a few of the boys who fear that if called to go to Cuba they will suffer from having to drink salt water on the trip. If only assured that such will not be the case happiness will reign again in our midst.

Rev. G. A. Long returned Thursday from an absence of some weeks in Montgomery county, and filled his appointments here Sunday.

Dr. A. N. Johnston is engaged in planting a large peach orchard. He has lately purchased the Christian farms. Mr. John P. Houston is engaged in surveying them by order of the court.

Mrs. Nellie Parsons and daughter, Miss Maude, of the Natural Bridge, are visiting in Washington.

Mr. Emory Strong, who has lived here the past winter, removed his family back to Botetown county the past week.

Miss Anna Johnson has closed her school near here and returned to her home in Buena Vista.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Parsons spent Thursday in Lexington.

Messrs. F. V. Clarke and Edward Witt, of Lexington, spent Sunday with friends here.

CLOVER BLOSSOM.

The Bargain Clothier

Has opened the season with a stock of goods that beats the record for beauty and low prices. See our latest SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING AND GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS.

It presents an opportunity that nobody can afford to miss.

Our stock is crowned with the newest of styles; selected with experienced care in quality, good taste, style and variety. It is

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Our many friends have persuaded us to remain, because we are the leaders in Fine Quality and Low Prices, and which way we will continue to sell at the same basis as before.

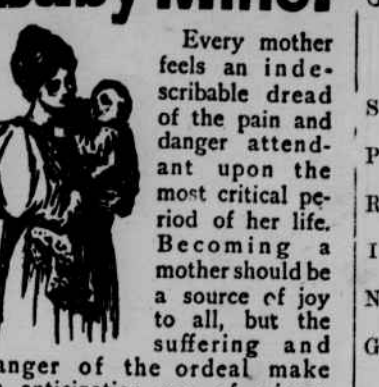
The better the grade, the bigger the trade; and at prices that others cannot duplicate.

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Every mother feels an indescribable dread of the pain and danger attendant upon the most critical period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy to all, but the suffering and danger of the ordeal make its anticipation one of misery.

is the remedy which relieves women of the great pain and suffering incident to maternity; this hour which is dreaded as woman's severest trial is not only made painless, but all the danger is removed by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are avoided, the system is made ready for the coming event, and the serious accidents so common to the critical hour are obviated by the use of **Mother's Friend**. It is a blessing to woman.

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BATHS BUDGET.

(Gazette Correspondence.)

Rockbridge Baths, Va., March 21.—Old March is to-day claiming her wonted right, and instead of the beautiful balmy spring weather of the past week we are having high winds with prospect for cold rain. Most likely our equanimity. Our farmers are so well advanced in preparation for spring crops that a little lie-over will not be a very serious matter. But little ploughing yet to do.

Sacramental services were conducted in Bethesda church on Sunday preceded by preaching on Friday and Saturday at 11 a. m. The pastor, Dr. McElwee was assisted by Rev. Mr. Trawick of Buena Vista who did the preaching. His sermons were full of the Gospel and not only very acceptable but it is to be hoped profitable to our people. Two additions to the church—making five since last communion.

Mr. Cavit Conner of whose illness I wrote in my last letter has been very low since, but is now I am glad to say, improving with good prospect for recovery. For several days he seemed to be just on the balance between life and death.

Mrs. McElwee is but little better if at all improved. She has the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community, and there is a universal anxiety as to her speedy recovery. Her daughters, Mrs. Bartholomew and Mrs. Miller are with her.

Miss Bettie Morrison is off on a visit to friends in Richmond. A pleasure no doubt to her but none to those left behind. All wish her a happy but a short visit.

The prospect for a good wheat crop in this locality—especially where fertilizers were used—was never better, within my knowledge than now.

The musical concert that was to have been given at the Methodist church on Wednesday night of last week was postponed on account of the illness of Mr. F. T. Snider. It is expected now to be given on Thursday night of this week.

How Will Local Options Affect Taxation?

The annual revenues now received by the town of Lexington from licenses, etc., on Barrooms, is in round numbers..... \$2,000 The total annual revenues collected by the town, including taxes, licenses, fines, etc., is in round numbers..... \$18,000 The rate of taxation is now 85c. on the \$100 of property. So that from the above figures it is apparent, that should the licenses be cut off, amounting to \$2,000.00, the same amount must be made up by raising taxes on property to the extent of one-ninth; or as the rate is now 85, it will be increased to about 94 or 95 cents on the \$100, allowing for delinquents.

Not is this necessarily all that may have to be raised, as 1st. The values of considerable real estate may and doubtless will be lowered by this proposed law, and 2nd. When the reassessment is made in the year 1900, there will in all likelihood be a shrinkage in the taxable values, thus necessitating a raise over even 95 cents per \$100.

That the town can reduce its expenses below the sum of \$18,000.00 per year cannot be successfully claimed, and in fact this amount has been so meager, that already a considerable comment in the public print, has been made upon the inadequate amount annually appropriated by the town as a sinking fund to its bonded indebtedness.

Adv. March 16-2t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of R. L. NORTHER, deceased, will present them to the undersigned at once for settlement, as I am arranging to make a final settlement of my accounts as his administrator.

THOS. A. STERRETT,  
Sheriff of Rockbridge County, and as such, administrator of R. L. Northern, deceased.  
March 23-2t.

An alarm of fire was given at about midnight Saturday night, caused by the oil in a lamp taking fire in the room of Mr. Bruce Figgat, at his mother's residence, on Main street. The blaze was extinguished before an explosion took place and no serious damage was done.

JUST A WORD



Ladies' Shoes

Oxford Ties

We are busy receiving our new Spring Styles, and they are beauties. Ladies' tan and black Oxfords at 75c. \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 are here, and we challenge comparison. Don't forget our men's

\$3.50 Regent Shoes.

We warrant every Regent shoe as good as leather and workmanship can make them. All colors and toes. See them! Men's \$1.25 Heavy Shoes better than ever before. Don't buy

Your Spring Hat

till you see our new styles of Alpines, Fedoras and Derbies, in hazel, brown, pearl and black. They are as low in price as they are handsome in appearance. Like to put one on your head!

May be we can make you a SUIT OF CLOTHES THIS SPRING, \$13.50 and upwards. New samples now in.

GRAHAM & CO., Head and Feet Fitters.

FASSAFER N

The fence law would suit some and some it would not suit. This is not the case with Thos. S. White & Son's Fassafer Flour. Though Letter has a cinch on about half the wheat in the United States, and is booming the price, he cannot hold the price of Fassafer flour that we bought before he fastened his cinch. We are trying to get in the next thirty days. Now try a barrel of this flour, inapproachable by any brand on the market. Come and get references from many of the best and most fastidious housekeepers in Lexington.

A full and beautiful line of Silks from 22 1/2c. to \$1.50 a yard.

A beautiful new line of Shirt Waists from 50c. to \$1.50.

A large new line of Dress Fabrics in cotton, linen and wool.

A beautiful line of Hamburgs and Val Laces.

Beautiful White Flannel at 10c. a yard—worth almost double.

Beautiful yard-wide Dimity at 10c. a yard—worth almost double.

We sold a whole bale of short ends India Linens at 5c. a yard in three days after we opened them. We are trying to get in the next thirty days. Now try a barrel of this flour, inapproachable by any brand on the market. Come and get references from many of the best and most fastidious housekeepers in Lexington.

Remember we are headquarters for Clover, Timothy, Orchard Grass, Kentucky Blue Grass, English Blue Grass and genuine German Fescue. We have a large stock of these and will meet, and if necessary beat all competition.

Housekeepers wanting Baled Hay have only to notify us and we can furnish either Timothy or Clover in 100 lb. bales, or by the wagon-load.

Now is the time to buy Bleached and Brown Cottons, ten, six and five-quarter Sheatings, White Counterpane, Gingham, Seersuckers, Calicoes, etc., etc. Cotton, like clover seed, is cheaper than it has been for sixty years. The rise on cotton goods